

## STATE OF UTAH

OFFICE OF THE ATTORNEY GENERAL



## ICAC FEDERAL REFERAL STAT INFORMATION

Between September 15, 2017 and March 26, 2020, the Utah Attorney General's Office, ICAC Section filed one-hundred-fifteen (115) cases. During that period Nine (9) cases or almost eight (8) percent of ICAC cases went federal as follows:

- Defendant 1 -Repeat Offender-Had prior hands on offense and restricted felon found in possession of handgun
- Defendant 2– Repeat Offender-Had prior child pornography offenses
- Defendant 3 Repeat Offender Had prior federal child pornography offenses
- Defendant 4

  Number of images- Defendant had in his possession 1 Terabyte (75 million pages) or more of child sexual abuse images and videos
- Defendant 5- Number of images Defendant had in his possession over 1 million child sexual abuse images and videos
- Defendant 6– Repeat Offender -Defendant had prior child pornography offenses
- Defendant 7– Manufacturing and Distribution Defendant manufactured images of her 2-year old daughter and distributed them to a repeat offender in New York.
- Defendant 8- Manufacturing and Distribution- Defendant manufactured images of his stepdaughter and distributed them to gain access to more child pornography (cp is currency)
- Defendant Wilson Repeat Offender Had prior hands on offense and prior child pornography offense

## Note:

This only includes cases prosecuted by the Attorney General's Office. Statewide, the ICAC Taskforce referred between eight (8) percent and fifteen (15) percent of cases federally during the January 2017 through June 2020 period.

**Fiscal year 2020-2021 projections:** The ICAC Taskforce has seen a surge of new cases due to the pandemic and more people staying home. Between January 1, 2020, and July 20, 2020, online file sharing of child sexual abuse imagery has increased and National Center for Missing and Exploited Children Cybertip reports in Utah have almost doubled from this time last year. In the new fiscal year, between July 1, 2020 through July 20, 2020, the Utah Attorney General's Office filed ten (10) new cases to date, five (5) of which are being screened for federal prosecution because the defendant in the case had either a prior hands on sexual offense (3 cases) or the defendant manufactured the child sexual abuse imagery (2 cases).